

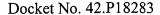
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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action of January 5, 2007 and Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of February 23, 2007, please amend the above-identified response as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.